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CARTRIDGES HAVING MELT-BLOWN CORE ELEMENTS, AND THE FILTER

CARTRIDGES FORMED THEREBY

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AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 312

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.312(a), applicants hereby submit an Amendment supplemental to the Amendment filed on. Applicants propose to amend the above-identified application as follows: